

# RUG III (Resource Utilization Group)

## Residential Care Services for L&I Injured Workers

*If any section does not apply, leave blank and go to next section*

Provider name	Provider Number	Assessor's name	Claim number
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### ADL Score Calculations

#### Number value

		Enter numeric score	
Step # 1	1. Independent or supervision only.	Bed mobility:	
	2. Limited assistance.	Transfer:	
	3. Extensive assistance or total dependence, setup or 1 person assisted.	Toilet use:	
	4. Extensive assistance or total dependence and 2 people assisted.		
Step # 2	1. Independent or supervision.	Eating:	
	2. Limited assistance.		
	3. Parental /IV or total dependence or tube feeding with 26% to 75% calorie intake.		
Step # 3	Total ADL Score:		

### RUG III Calculation

#### Category 1 (of 7) - Rehabilitation - RUG III Hierarchical Classification

Place X in  
correct box

Rehab Ultra High - 720 minutes expected or actual therapy per week and at least 2 disciplines. <b>Bill REHAB <i>ULTRA HIGH</i> Using Code 8880H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rehab Very High - 500 to 719 minutes total therapy per week and 1 discipline for 5 days. <b>Bill REHAB <i>VERY HIGH</i> Using Code 8881H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rehab High - 325 to 499 minutes total therapy per week and 1 discipline for 5 days. <b>Bill REHAB <i>HIGH</i> Using Code 8882H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rehab Medium - 150 to 324 minutes total therapy per week on any combination of 3 disciplines. <b>Bill REHAB <i>MEDIUM</i> Using Code 8883H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evaluate Category 2: <u>EXTENSIVE SERVICES BEFORE</u> assigning REHAB LOW Rehab Low - 48 to 149 minutes total therapy per week and at least 3 days of any combination of 3 disciplines. <b>Bill REHAB <i>LOW</i> Using Code 8884H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>

#### Category 2 (of 7) - Extensive Services - RUG III Hierarchical Classification

ADL score greater than or equal to 7, with parental / IV, or IV Medication, or suctioning, or tracheotomy care, or ventilator or respirator. <b>Bill <i>EXTENSIVE SERVICES</i> Using Code 8885H</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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#### Category 3 (of 7) - Rehabilitation - RUG III Hierarchical Classification

ADL less than or equal to 6 WITH: a. Parental IV, or b. IV medication, or c. Suctioning, or d. Tracheotomy care, or e. Ventilator or respirator	or ADL Greater than 7 WITH: a. Fever AND one of the following: 1. Pneumonia, or 2. Dehydration, or 3. Vomiting, or 4. Weight loss, or 5. Tube feeding WITH: 50% or more calorie intake, or 26% to 50% calorie intake with at least 501 cc fluid intake b. Tube feeding and aphasia c. Ulcers any stage 2+ sites with 2 or more skin treatments d. Pressure ulcers any state 3 or 4 with 2 or more skin treatments e. Surgical wound on oxygen with 1 or more surgical wound treatments f. radiation treatment g. Respiration therapy for 7 days	<b>Bill <i>SPECIAL CARE</i> using Code 8886H</b>
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Place X here if  
applicable.

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HSA  
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Olympia WA 98504-4322

Claim number

**Category 4 (of 7) - Clinically Complex - RUG III Hierarchical Classification**

Coded for one of the following:

Coma and not awake and completely ADL dependent (ADL greater than or equal to 12),

or diabetes mellitus and injection 7 days,  
or Hemiplegia and ADL sum greater than or equal to 10,  
or Pneumonia,  
or Septicemia,  
or Dehydration,  
or Internal bleeding,  
or Tube feeding,  
or Burns,

or Foot infections,  
or Chemotherapy,  
or Dialysis,  
or Oxygen therapy,  
or Transfusions,  
or Frequent order changes,  
or Frequent physician visits

Place X here if  
applicable.

**Bill *CLINICALLY COMPLEX* Using Code 8887H**

**Category 5 (of 7) - Impaired Cognition - RUG III Hierarchical Classification**

Coma and not awake and completely ADL dependent, or moderate or greater cognitive skills impairment (poor decisions or supervision required), or severe problems being understood or severely impaired cognitive skills.

Place X here if  
applicable.

**Bill *IMPAIRED COGNITION* Using Code 8888H**

**Category 6 (of 7) - Behavior Only - RUG III Hierarchical Classification**

ADL less than or equal to 10 and one of the following:

Wandering or verbal abuse or physical abuse or inappropriate behavior  
or resisted care or Delusions or Hallucinations.

Place X here if  
applicable.

**Bill *BEHAVIOR ONLY* Using Code 8889H**

**Category 7 (of 7) - Reduced Physical Function - RUG III Hierarchical Classification**

ADL greater than 10, does not fit into any other category.

Place X here if  
applicable.

**Bill *REDUCED PHYSICAL FUNCTION* Using Code 8890H**

Mail pages 1 and 2 to the address above.

## RUG III Assessment: Residential Care Services For Injured Workers

Medicare RUG Code	If the injured worker's care groups to this group...	...L&I pays for care with this group...	...and L&I pays this Rate.	Bill Using This Procedure Code
RUC RUB RUA	Nursing Facility Rehab - Ultra High 16-18 Nursing Facility Rehab - Ultra High 9-15 Nursing Facility Rehab - Ultra High 4-8	Rehab - Ultra High	\$495.34	8880H
RVC RVB RVA	Nursing Facility Rehab - Very High 16-18 Nursing Facility Rehab - Very High 9-15 Nursing Facility Rehab - Very High 4-8	Rehab - Very High	\$376.43	8881H
RHC RHB RHA	Nursing Facility Rehab - High 13-18 Nursing Facility Rehab - High 8-12 Nursing Facility Rehab - High 4-7	Rehab - High	\$338.57	8882H
RMC RMB RMA	Nursing Facility Rehab - Medium 15-18 Nursing Facility Rehab - Medium 8-14 Nursing Facility Rehab - Medium 4-7	Rehab - Medium	\$330.35	8883H
RLB RLA	Nursing Facility Rehab - Low 14-18 Nursing Facility Rehab - Low 4-13	Rehab - Low	\$260.43	8884H
SE3 SE2 SE1	Nursing Facility Extensive Services 3 Nursing Facility Extensive Services 2 Nursing Facility Extensive Services 1	Extensive Services	\$307.84	8885H
SSC SSB SSA	Nursing Facility Special Care 17-18 Nursing Facility Special Care 15-16 Nursing Facility Special Care 7-14	Special Care	\$231.87	8886H
CC2 CC1 CB2 CB1 CA2 CA1	Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 17-18D Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 17-18 Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 12-16D Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 12-16 Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 4-11D Nursing Facility Clinically Complex 4-11	Clinically Complex	\$230.53	8887H
IB2 IB1 IA2 IA1	Nursing Facility Impaired Cognition 6-10NR Nursing Facility Impaired Cognition 6-10 Nursing Facility Impaired Cognition 4-5NR Nursing Facility Impaired Cognition 4-5	Impaired Cognition	\$173.22	8888H
BB2 BB1 BA2 BA1	Nursing Facility Behavior Only 6-10NR Nursing Facility Behavior Only 6-10 Nursing Facility Behavior Only 4-5NR Nursing Facility Behavior Only 4-5	Behavior Only	\$171.89	8889H
PE2 PE1 PD2 PD1 PC2 PC1 PB2 PB1 PA2 PA1	Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 16-18NR Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 16-18 Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 11-15NR Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 11-15 Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 9-10NR Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 9-10 Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 6-8NR Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 6-8 Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 4-5NR Nursing Facility Physical Function Reduced 4-5	Reduced Physical Function	\$186.55	8890H

----- FOR L&I INJURED WORKERS ONLY -----

***Please complete and FAX this page to the Dept of Labor & Industries.***

Obtain FAX number from Claims Unit ONC or by calling the Claims Unit at **(360) 902-5013**.

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## **RUG III** **(Resource Utilization Group)**

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***PLACE "X" IN APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE ACTION TAKEN:***

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Initial (first) RUG assessment for the L&I injured worker

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New RUG assessment

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An L&I occupational nurse consultant (OCN) has authorized a new RUG assessment

### **INITIAL RUG ASSESSMENT**

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Initial RUG Category assessed (7 categories possible)

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Initial RUG code assessment

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Initial RUG payment rates (see table page 3)

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Initial RUG billing code (see table page 3)

### **NEW RUG ASSESSMENT**

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Current RUG category assessed (7 categories possible)

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Current RUG code assessed

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Current RUG payment rate (see table page 3)

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